

EPA Region 1 Clean Water Act

Compliance Evaluation Data Entry Form: 3560EZ Only the highlighted fields are required for Offsite Desk Audits. Version 1.08

Inspector:		Lisa Thuot		Date form completed:		:	8/9/2016		
Section A: Facility Information									
Inspection start date:		8/2/2016	Inspection start time:		1400				
Inspection end date (if more than one day):		Choose date	Inspection finish time:		1710				
NPDES ID:		None	Fee	Federal facility?		No			
Name and Location of Facility Inspected:									
	Name:	HBAR-9 Farm (H.J. & A. Howrigan & Sons, Inc.)							
	Address:	87 Boissoneault Rd.							
	City:	Fairfax		State:	VT	ZIP:	05454		
Facility Representative #1:									
	Name:	Lawrence Howrigan		Title:	Co-owner				
	Address (if off-site):	551 Howrigan Road							
	City:	Fairfield		State:	VT	ZIP:	05455		
	Phone #:	(802) 827-4479		Email:	Enter text				
Facility Representative #2 (if necessary):									
	Name:	Harold Howrigan		Title:	Co-owner				
	Address (if off-site):	(Same address as above)					_		
	City:	Enter text		State:	Enter text	ZIP:	Enter text		
	Phone #:	Enter text		Email:	Enter text				
		e Monitoring Information							
Clean Water Act Section (choose from only one of the following):									
	CWA §308[A][B]: NPDES Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations					Operations		
	CWA §311: Oil and Hazardous Substances			Choose an item					
	CWA §404: Permits for Dredge and Fill Material			Choose an item					
Compliance Monitoring Type:				Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation (CAFO) Inspection					
Compliance Monitoring Reason:				Agency Priority					
If Agency Priority, then specify priority(s):									
	(DECA - CAFO							
	(OECA - CAFO Region Initiative Areas					\boxtimes		
	OECA - CSOs w/ < 50,000 service population								
	OECA - CSOs w/ $>= 50,000$ service population								
OECA - MS4s Phase I									
OECA - MS4s Phase II									

	OECA - SSOs \geq 10 MGD and $<$ 100 MGD				
	Region 1 - Environmental Justice				
	Region 1 - Green Economy / Green Infrastructure				
	Region 1 - Industrial Laundries				
	Region 1 - Lead Poisoning				
	Region 1 - Municipal Infrastructure				
	Region 1 - Pollution Prevention & Resource Cons	Region 1 - Pollution Prevention & Resource Conservation			
	Region 1 - Ship / Boat Yards				
	Region 1 - Wet Weather				
Complianc	ce Monitoring Agency Type:	EPA			
Was this a	Joint Compliance Monitoring Activity?	Yes			
	If Joint, which party had the lead?	EPA			
	If State lead, what was the purpose of EPA participation?	Choose an item	or leave blank if N/A		

Comments:

The other owner present was Mike Howrigan. The VT Agency of Agriculture representatives were Trevor Lewis, Tyler Knapp, and Clark Parmelee. This facility has 312 milking and dry cows. This facility operates independently of all other Howrigan facilities. Issues noted: A storm drain at the double haylage and corn silage bunkers discharges to a vegetated drainage swale south of the farm. The swale smelled like silage leachate for approx. 20-30 ft. beyond the stormwater pipe. No running water was observed in the swale further downstream. Trevor Lewis suggested a future BMP project to design and install a low-flow/high-flow leachate system. During the Agency of Agriculture's field check of crop buffers, all locations checked had acceptable buffers (> 25 feet from surface water).